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RE: SN 09/753,043 "PROCESS FOR EX VIVO FORMATION OF MAMMALIAN BONE AND USES THEREOF" - Sujata Kale and Michael W. Long

Sir:

Enclosed for filing in the above-referenced patent application is an Information Disclosure Statement, Form PTO-1449, and references (A1-A5, B1-B6, C1-C18).

No fees are believed to be due in connection with the filing of this Information Disclosure Statement, however, should any fees under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16 to 1.21 be deemed necessary for any reason relating to the enclosed materials, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to deduct said fees from Fulbright & Jaworski Deposit Account No.: 50-1212/10009005/SLH.

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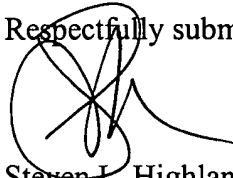
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Applicants respectfully request that the listed documents be made of record in the present case.

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